

TWENTY-SIXTH

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT

OF THE

LUNATIC ASYLUM,

FOR THE COUNTIES OF

Salop & Montgomery,

AND FOR THE

BOROUGH OF WENLOCK,

1870.

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REPORT OF THE VISITORS OF THE LUNATIC ASYLUM.

The Visitors of the Salop, Montgomery, Wenlock, Shrewsbury, Oswestry, Bridgnorth, and Ludlow Lunatic Asylum report that the number of Patients remaining in the Asylum on the 12th day of October, 1870, was—

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Admitted since that date ..	234	272	506
	13	10	23
	<u>247</u>	<u>282</u>	<u>529</u>
Discharged	Males.	Females.	Total.
Recovered	6	6	12
Relieved	2	0	2
Not Improved	0	0	0
Dead	4	2	6
	<u>12</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>20</u>
Remaining 28th December, 1870 ..	235	274	509
Patients chargeable to Salop and Wenlock	144	190	*334
„ „ Montgomery ..	47	39	86
„ „ Shrewsbury ..	26	24	50
„ „ Oswestry ..	5	9	14
„ „ Bridgnorth ..	4	9	13
„ „ Ludlow ..	7	3	10
„ „ Other Unions ..	2	0	2

*53 of these are chargeable to the Madeley Union.

That the expenditure of the past quarter has been as follows:—

						£.	s.	d.
Maintenance and Necessaries	..	..	..	..	..	1838	11	4
Salaries	..	..	..	..	..	528	15	3
Clothing	..	..	..	..	..	303	12	4
Furniture and Bedding	..	..	..	..	..	144	6	11
Repairs	..	..	..	..	..	154	18	1
Sundries	..	..	..	..	..	63	7	4

And the present balance due from the Treasurer is on the Maintenance Account £2389. 12s. 1d.—and to the Treasurer on the Building Account £127. 11s. 6d.

The number of Patients in the Asylum at the close of last year was 505, the present number is 509. There is vacant accommodation in the Asylum for 12 males and 4 females.

The Buildings of the Asylum are, as the Surveyor reports, in a satisfactory state of repair. The Nurses and Attendants have conducted themselves generally to the satisfaction of the Visitors, there having been only two dismissals of Attendants for misconduct during the year. At the beginning of this year the weekly cost of maintenance was reduced from 9s. 7½d. to 9s. 4d. and a further reduction was made to 8s. 9d. in June last. As the land belonging to the Asylum was insufficient to afford employment to the able-bodied Lunatic Paupers, the Visitors rented five acres of land for this year, and they have reason to be satisfied with the experiment, as it has afforded the required employment with some gain to the funds of the Asylum.

The Visitors have pleasure in reporting that they continue to be satisfied with the care and skill of the Superintendent, Mr. Ley, and the present medical Officer, Mr. Davies, and the rest of the Officers and Attendants of the Asylum.

THE COMMISSIONERS IN LUNACY REPORT.

SALOP COUNTY ASYLUM,

THURSDAY, 22nd SEPT. 1870.

Since this Asylum was visited on the 14th September in last year, 114 patients have been admitted, 59 males and 55 females. 57 have been discharged, 31 males and 26 females, of whom all but 9 of the former, and 2 of the latter, are entered as recovered; and 48 have died, 21 in the male and 27 in the female division. One inquest was held, in the case of an Epileptic who died during a fit; but there was nothing unusual in any of the deaths, the principal having been from causes ordinary in Asylums, and especially so in Asylums containing, as this does, so large a proportion of paralysed and feeble cases. More than two-thirds of the whole number were from general palsy, epilepsy, and senile decay.

We went over all the wards yesterday, and saw therein 506 patients, 237 males and 269 females; there being also one female absent on trial. These numbers leave so few vacant beds, that the question of additional provision will soon have to be considered; and we see much that would be satisfactory in a proposal submitted lately to the chairman of the committee by Mr. Ley, for conversion into dormitory space of the attics of No 6, male and female wards, if corresponding day-room space were at the same time obtained by construction of a large associated dining-room, which is much wanted here. Connected with this also is a suggestion for the erection of a small detached hospital for infectious cases, which we regard of the greatest importance, the necessity for it having lately shown itself in a case of scarletina among the nurses, which, by timely isolation, was happily limited to one person; and with much satisfaction we have learnt that, by a resolution adopted at the last committee meeting, the gas works so frequently objected to in these entries, will immediately be removed, and the necessary supply

obtained from Shrewsbury. This will admit of what so long has been matter of urgent necessity here, the provision upon that site of new tailor's and shoemaker's and other shops, whereby the opportunities of regularly and profitably employing patients will be most beneficially attended, and an additional boon will also be conferred by conversion of the existing tailor's and shoemaker's shops into a general bath room on the male side, corresponding to that on the female division, which has been found so great an advantage. All the inmates of both divisions were singularly quiet at the time of our visit, and emphatic as was the praise bestowed in the last Commissioner's entry upon the arrangements for the sick, who are unhappily on both sides so large a part of the inmates—addition, if possible, should now be made to it—with the same cheerful surroundings, substantial addition has been made to the comforts. Special infirmaries for paralytic cases have been supplied by suitable conversion of a dormitory in each division connected with No. 6 wards respectively. Earth closets of better construction than we have yet met with, both moveable and stationary, and which do not appear to be attended by any inconvenience in the working, have been placed in the hospital accommodation on both sides; the lavatories and baths have been increased; many new chairs of easiest shape have been placed; and immense improvements has been made in the airing courts more particularly connected with these wards. That of the male infirmary, No. 5, has been enlarged and very beautifully planted, and into that of No. 6, on the female side, as many as five and twenty full grown trees have been transplanted from the pleasure grounds in front of the Asylum, which we were glad to see open to the patients yesterday and to-day. There are nearly 150 patients altogether who are unable, from their infirmities, ever to get beyond their airing courts, and the importance of what has been thus done for them, since the last visit, can hardly be overrated. We cannot say that we think the condition of the occupants of the ordinary wards on the male side of this Asylum, as we found them yesterday, comparable to that on which we found the female patients generally. They were not all as a rule, so well clothed, nor were their clothes or their persons so uniformly well attended to. There is, indeed, a marked difference; and we are constrained to add that it seemed to us to be mainly accounted for by the fact that the class of the attendants is inferior to that of the nurses, less qualified for the duties, and less under discipline in the discharge of them. Making enquiry as to this, we learn that generally the remuneration is more satisfactorily proportioned on the female than on the male side, and the changes therefore necessarily more frequent on the one than the other, nearly half the number in the male division having been changed in the comparatively brief interval since we last visited; and these changes

having comprised the loss of a very valuable head attendant. There is no subject that will better reward the immediate attention of the committee than that of the sufficiency of wages to obtain the services of men properly qualified for asylum duty, and in leaving it we ought not to omit to say, in connection with the advantages possessed by the female over the male patients in this respect, that the present Matron of this Asylum is evidently a most efficient officer.

When the new workshops are provided, we shall expect to have a better report to make of the profitable uses to which the labour of the male patients is applied, and it is satisfactory to learn meanwhile that the five acres of ground for potatoe planting having been rented by the committee since last year, the employment out of doors has been rendered thus far so much more remunerative that we may hope such opportunity will continue to be afforded, and will lead to what has been wanted so much—a permanent addition to the land of the Asylum.

About 100 thus work out of doors, and 40 at various trades; while of the women, 39 are in the laundry and kitchen, and 88 engaged in sewing, knitting, and needlework.

The Chapel attendance averages upwards of 250, in nearly equal numbers on Sundays; 222, the females being about 20 more than the males on work days.

Something less than 200 is the number that take part in the associated entertainments, for which, and for regular exercise beyond the Asylum grounds, opportunities seem to be given with fair regard to the requirements of the patients in these very important respects. We saw an excellent dinner served yesterday in the female division, and the same in quality and abundance was at the same time in progress on the other side.

From the medical records, which are most carefully and efficiently kept by Mr. Davies, so long the most attentive Assistant Medical Officer here, we have to report that there has been no restraint since the last visit; that the seclusion has been limited to 28 males and 21 females. The instances in the former division being 172, and in the latter 60; and that the numbers at present taking medicine are 18 men and 22 women. Notwithstanding the great many sick of both sexes, there were few in bed; and we here take occasion to mention, with much satisfaction, the rule which admits of patients being visited by their friends, not on any fixed days

merely, but every day of the week, including Sundays, subject only to the proper conditions imposed by the Medical Superintendent.

Of the manner in which that gentleman continues to discharge his various and very responsible duties, we cannot speak too highly; as to the general visitation and management, we have to state that monthly meetings are held for general business, when also the wards are always visited and patients when recovered are discharged, while an additional visit is made to the wards, at least once in the interval between these monthly meetings, by a visitor specially appointed out of those who represent Salop.

JOHN FOSTER, } COMMISSIONERS
ROBERT NAIRNE. } IN LUNACY.

THE SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

GENTLEMEN,

I have the honor to submit to you the twenty-sixth Annual Report of this Asylum, to which are annexed the usual Statistical Tables, giving detailed information concerning the number of patients admitted, discharged, or died, and other matters connected with the history of the Asylum during the past year.

The customary Financial Statement is likewise submitted.

On the 1st of January, 1870, there were resident in the Asylum 508 patients, 236 men and 272 women. Since that period, 99 new cases have been admitted, making altogether a total of 677 patients who have been under care and treatment; of this number 56 were discharged recovered or relieved, and 42 died. The admissions and removals have therefore so nearly balanced each other, that on the 31st of December, only one patient remained in excess of the number resident at the commencement of the year. These figures however do not represent the increase in the average population of the Asylum, which was 20 more than in 1869; the excess being principally on the female side. The highest number in the house at any time was 514, the lowest 501.

Contrary to the experience of former years, the number of males admitted exceeded the females, there being 51 of the former and 48 of the latter: the majority of these admissions were sent from the various Unions and Parishes in the two Counties, the number chargeable to Shropshire being 71, and to Montgomery 28. Three criminal patients were received from the County Gaol, and one patient belonging to that class was transferred from the Broadmoor Asylum, under the provisions of the recent Criminal Act. Two males and two females, whose places of settlement were found in this County, were transferred from other Asylums, they were cases suffering more or less from incurable mental disease.

Twelve males and nine females, or about one-fifth of the total number of admissions, were patients who had formerly been under

treatment in this Asylum, of whom eight males and six females had been discharged recovered. The length of time between the previous discharge and relapse varied from three months to eight years, the average duration being about three years.

The admissions, as in former years, were of a very unsatisfactory character, the standard of health particularly among the males, being remarkably low. The number suffering from severe organic nervous disorders was unusually large, and raised the proportion of that class so much, that the accommodation provided for those patients, was, in both divisions, quite inadequate to the demand. In my last Annual Report I adverted to the number of Epileptics resident in the Asylum; during the past year no less than twelve others were admitted, five of whom are Imbeciles from birth, the remaining seven are all demented cases, for whom there is no possibility of doing anything more than endeavouring to preserve them from injuring themselves or others. Eleven males and three females were suffering from General Paralysis, and three males and four females from other Organic Brain mischief. The youngest case admitted was that of a boy aged 12, an imbecile from birth, sent from the County Infirmary, with a fractured thigh; his injury did well, and he happily was removed to Earlswood, where he will receive that special care and training which his case demands.

The duration of the Mental Disease previous to admission varied considerably; in nearly fifty per cent. it had existed for more than twelve months before Asylum treatment was sought. As a rule it may be fairly stated, that if the early symptoms of insanity are unaccompanied by noisy conduct or any tendency to violence, patients are kept at home or in the workhouse until the more turbulent characteristics of the disease manifest themselves, then and not until then, are they transferred to the Asylum, arriving often in a condition precluding all possibility of recovery. The history of some of the admissions of last year practically illustrates this fact; in three instances, patients suffering from curable forms of Mental Disease were allowed to remain at home until from long continued refusal of food and improper treatment, they became so exhausted that when brought to the Asylum they died soon afterwards from want of rallying power. It is painful to reflect that the majority of those admitted are hopeful insane. The cases probably curable, form certainly not more than thirty per cent. of the total number, and of these sixteen have been discharged before the close of the year.

Among the admissions were twenty-nine cases in whom suicidal impulse was present in a marked degree. Of the twelve

males of this class, five had made attempts at self-destruction previous to admission by cutting their throats, two had endeavoured to drown themselves, and three had attempted strangulation. Of the fifteen females, ten have attempted suicide in different ways, the others had threatened, but were prevented from carrying out their intentions. The homicidal tendency was present in fifteen instances.

The number of patients discharged during the year amount to fifty-six, of whom twenty-four males and twenty-three females were recovered, and seven males and two females were relieved. The number of recoveries are in the ratio of forty-seven per cent. on the admissions. The average duration of residence varied from one month to four years. In the majority of cases the progress towards convalescence commenced soon after admission, and continued without intermission until perfect recovery was attained. Two females recovered, one after a sojourn of four and the other of two years, in the former case the insanity was caused by Epilepsy, in the latter by General Bad Health and Domestic Troubles. Both these cases are remarkable instances of the importance of not relaxing our efforts for the cure of any patient, no matter how long may have been the duration of residence or the apparent hopelessness of their condition. In only one case did the duration of insanity previous to asylum treatment exceed twelvemonths—in seventy-four per cent. the duration was under one month,—a conclusive proof, if any were needed, of the efficacy of early treatment. The forms of Mental Disorder among these recoveries were chiefly Mania and Melancholia, in two cases complicated with Epilepsy. The causes of the insanity were principally Hereditary Taint, and the Predisposition from previous attacks. Of the total number who recovered, seven males and ten females were cases who had on previous occasions been under treatment in this Asylum.

The number discharged relieved was seven, four males, and three females, of these, three were removed to the care of their friends, one was sent to the Workhouse, and three were transferred to other Asylums.

The mortality during the year amounted to forty-two, which gives a death-rate of 8.31 per cent. on the average number resident, and 6.20 on the total number under treatment. So low a death-rate has not occurred for many years, and is much below the mean average mortality of this Asylum. A somewhat unusual feature in connection with it is, that the death-rate for the both sexes is equal. A very large proportion of those who died were persons of advanced age, thirty-three per cent. were above the age of 60, four were

between 80 and 90, and three were between 70 and 80. The average age at death for the males was 50, and for the females 55; this exceptional low mortality and the general freedom from disease that has characterized the past year may fairly be attributed 1st—to the greater attention paid to the quality, quantity, and preparation of the dietary; 2nd—to the more efficient sanitary arrangements; and 3rd—to the more careful watching and nursing of the feeble, helpless, and depraved. It is worthy of note that considering the number there are suffering from General Paralysis in the Asylum, the mortality among that unfortunate class has been of late singularly small; probably they were favored by the comparatively mild winter of last year, for as a rule a severe winter is not only generally attended with an increase in the mortality among all classes in an Asylum, but among the helpless and demented, exceeding low temperature is always rapidly fatal.

Eight cases or about nineteen per cent. of all the whole mortality arose from deaths which occurred in cases admitted during the year. Among the males, six patients died from General Paralysis, one of these had been resident more than seven and another more than four years. Four males died from Epilepsy, one of these had been in the Asylum more than twenty-four years, was subject to furious manical attacks, and was notably an uncertain and dangerous lunatic. The decay of old age was fatal in three instances, all of whom had been incurably demented for years. Phthisis, and Disease of the Heart and Lungs, were the causes of death in five patients, one of whom was an imbecile from birth. Among the females, Phthisis was fatal in six instances, and occurred with one exception in patients who had long been resident in the Asylum. They were all of the demented class, of low mortality and imperfect organization; one of them a congenital imbecile was only 15 years of age. Senile Decay occurred in seven cases, and in two other cases it was accompanied with Organic Cerebral Disease. Four of these patients were above the age of 80. Two patients died from Epilepsy, in one of whom the disease was Congenital. Exhaustion from Mania was rapidly fatal in one instance, a middle-aged woman who was brought from the Workhouse in a low typhoid condition from long continued abstinence. A woman aged 79, died after a lengthened sojourn of over twenty-four years, she was quite demented, but was perhaps the most persistently destructive and methodically dirty patient in the Asylum.

Of the 509 patients remaining in the Asylum at the end of 1870, only twenty-one males and twenty-nine females are thought to have any chance of recovery; the other 459 patients are probably

incurable, whose detention in an Asylum is necessitated either from their known suicidal or dangerous tendencies, or from some peculiarities connected with their mental condition. No less than thirty-four are idiots or imbeciles from birth, many of these are epileptic, and all are more or less unsuitable for residence either with their friends or in the wards of a Workhouse. The proportion of epileptics, as I before remarked, is gradually increasing, and now amount to about one-fifth of the whole number of the inmates, a proportion which may be estimated as being in excess of the average in other Asylums. With this class improvement is rarely expected, and the painful nature of their malady render them unfit to be at large. More than thirty of each sex are quite demented, many of these are suffering from the daily increasing infirmities of declining power and life. Thirty-four males and sixteen females are paralytics, the bulk of whom are helpless, some are quite bed-ridden, and all require the most careful supervision and the most assiduous and tender nursing. In round numbers there are now resident more than a hundred of each sex—imbeciles, epileptics, paralytics, and demented, who do nothing. Among the many patients admitted whose insanity is complicated with known suicidal tendencies; there are several in whom this distressing impulse is always more or less persistent. I am thankful to say that no fatal result has occurred during the past year, although we have had to guard against several threatened attempts at self-destruction. One case which nearly proved fatal caused us considerable anxiety, and illustrates in a marked degree the latency of the suicidal impulse and the devices which lunatics have resort to to accomplish their end. In June last, a male patient had craftily stolen a knife from the scullery of his ward, and in order to elude detection had buried it in the kitchen garden, where he was in the daily habit of working. He was a quiet industrious man, rather taciturn and reserved, but was not suspected of harbouring suicidal tendencies—his mental condition was daily improving, and so favorable was his progress that on the morning of the day on which he made the attempt upon his life, he was told he should be removed into the convalescent ward, and was cheered with the prospect of ultimate discharge. Possibly the idea of changing his ward quickened the latent suicidal impulse; for before returning from his work in the garden the patient disinterred the knife where he had kept it concealed for more than three months, brought it into the ward, and immediately after dinner went into the closet and cut his throat. He was for a long time in a critical condition, but good nursing in the end saved his life. As the wound healed, his mental state improved, the suicidal propensity passed away, the patient became most anxious for his own recovery, and was unfeignedly sorry for what he had done.

A case of Scarlet Fever occurring in one of the female attendants in August last, created some anxiety on account of the difficulty experienced in isolating a patient in a building so crowded and so intercommunicating. Happily the means taken, although causing considerable inconvenience, were effectual in preventing the spread of the contagion. In reporting the case to your notice and urging the desirability of having some permanent and separate provision made for the treatment of contagious diseases, I ventured to suggest to the Committee a mode of enlargement of the Asylum, which if embraced would not only attain the object I had in view, but would provide increased bed-room accommodation for about seventy patients, without any additional building, and at a cost not exceeding £600. The details of this scheme having been brought before your notice so recently, it is not necessary for me to recapitulate them here. Owing to the increasing accumulation of Chronic cases and the low mortality of the past years, the Asylum is now almost full. At the end of 1870, the vacant accommodation was for twelve males and four females, but to-day the female wards are not only full but contain four patients in excess of their maximum complement. It is obvious that unless some marked diminution in the number be effected, the question of finding some additional accommodation must be before long entertained. It is open to grave doubt whether the existing vacancies on the male side will be sufficient for the requirements of that sex for the current year; this cannot be determined with actual certainty, but it appears probable that as the admissions during the past twelvemonths were so much below the average, there will be a compensating increase in the number demanding relief during the current year. As a general rule it may be stated that an increase of pauperism in the district is usually followed by an increase of lunacy; judging from the severity of the present winter, the numbers of labourers and others out of work, the enhanced prices of provisions, and the possible advent of an epidemic disease, there is I fear a probability of a grave augmentation in the numbers demanding Poor Law relief in the two counties. Be this as it may, the practical question remains. The Asylum on the female side is overcrowded, and without some modification of its structural details it will be impossible to accommodate more than our actual numbers. It will be remembered that after the completion of the Nos. 5, male and female new buildings, accommodation was found in December, 1865, for two hundred and twenty-nine males and two hundred and thirty-nine females, or a total of four hundred and sixty-one patients. In 1866, the South wing of No. 1, female, was connected to the No. 5, female ward by a building which afforded additional dormitory accommodation for thirteen patients, bringing the total number of beds to four hundred and seventy-four. No

other building has been erected since that period, but certain minor structural alterations and a total re-arrangement of the wards have allowed space for a further increase of fifty-one beds, thereby bringing the total number for which accommodation can be found from four hundred and sixty-one in 1865, to five hundred and twenty-five in 1870. There is a limit to the elastic powers of an Asylum, and for many grave reasons it would be unwise to herd lunatics too closely together; as it is, the superficial area and cubical space allotted to each patient in the associated dormitories is only sufficient for the due preservation of health; in some of the sleeping apartments where the more helpless and degraded of the patients are located, the area might with advantage be increased.

The Table on the following page has been constructed to shew the distribution of the patients throughout the different wards, with the cubical and superficial space allotted to each in their respective dormitories.

There is nothing new to report with regard to the general management of the Asylum, and the moral treatment of the patients. Our statistical records show that the number employed during the past twelvemonths has been as large as in former years, and in no preceding period has so much been done towards the permanent improvement of the airing courts and grounds. The produce from the Farm and Garden bear ample testimony to the amount of care and attention bestowed upon them. Agricultural labour is certainly the most beneficial, and probably is the most valuable kind of work to which we can devote the energies of the patients. To the majority it is the only labour to which they have been accustomed, and the only employment in their changed mental condition to which they are suitable. When properly carried out its importance as a means of cure and alleviation cannot be over-estimated. The amount of work done by individual patients is generally not large, as the majority either from physical weakness or mental peculiarity are incapable of sustained exertion, but their united labour amounts notwithstanding to something considerable, and proves itself an element in the economical administration of an Asylum, worthy of being utilized to a much greater extent than what it really is. The renting for a limited period, by the Visitors, of five acres of land adjoining the Asylum, marks the first step towards a better development of the patient's labour. The ground in question was planted with potatoes, and considering the dry season the yield has been fairly abundant. If the tubers do not become unsound under keeping during this rigorous winter, we shall probably have a supply sufficient for our wants until next season. The manure

SLEEPING ACCOMMODATION.

MALE DIVISION.

FEMALE DIVISION.

Wards.	Associated Dormitories.	No. of Beds.	Superficial Space per Bed.	Cubical Space per Bed.	Wards.	Associated Dormitories.	No. of Beds.	Superficial Space per Bed.	Cubical Space per Bed.
No. 1 {	North Dormitory ...	27	53.	574.	No. 1 {	North Dormitory ...	27	54.6	555.5
	South „ ...	27	56.	577.		South „ ...	27	54.6	555.5
	Gallery	16	60.	618.		Gallery	15	64.6	656.8
	Dormitory (a)	3	46.	467.		Dormitory (a) ..	4	48.5	491.9
	„ (b)	3	50.	510.		„ (b)	3	48.1	489.
	„ (c)	3	48.	493.		„ (c)	3	45.2	459.6
No. 3 ...	Gallery & Dormitory	26	58.	581.	No. 3 ...	Gallery & Dormitory	26	58.	581.
No. 5 {	Gallery	21	55.	552.	No. 5 {	Gallery & Dormitory	31	61.8	659.3
	„ Dormitory...	9	49.	490.		East Dormitory	14	50.	500.
	Infirmery—East	6	77.	790.		Infirmery	14	71.	710.
	„ West.....	6	77.	790.					
No. 6 {	Gallery	8	79.	810.	No. 6 {	Gallery	12	67.	670.
	East Dormitory	6	49.	490.		West Dormitory	6	46.	460.
	South „ (a)	16	57.	580.		South „ (a)	16	51.	510.
	„ „ (b)	9	54.	550.		„ „ (b)	9	52.	520.
No. 7 and 8. {	Paralytic—upstairs..	5	55.	612.	No. 7 ...	Paralytic	13	58.	580.
	„ downstairs	5	63.	650.					
	TOTAL	196	54.	560.		Total	220	59.	590.

collected from the Earth Closets has been fairly tested during the past year, and has yielded results most satisfactory both as regards quantity and weight of the crops. The substitution of Earth Closets for Water Closets practically solves the vexed question of the proper disposal of Asylum sewage.

With regard to the other points of treatment and the amusements and recreations of the patients, it will be unnecessary to recapitulate what has so frequently been noticed in former reports. Theatrical representations and Concerts were given in the early part of the year, but to a great extent our efforts in that direction were paralyzed by the loss of some of our best performers. The Band continues very efficient, and the usual dances have been held always once and frequently twice a week. Entertainments are so necessary and so important a part of the general plan of treatment that I regret that more cannot be done to develop and extend what is obviously productive of so much benefit to the patients. The Library has been increased by the donation of several volumes of books from Mr. Eyton, and through the liberality of Mr. LLoyd of the Knolls, and the assistance of his gardener, Mr. Wilson, the male South airing court has been well planted with forest trees. The male infirmary airing court has been enlarged by the formation of a new walk, and by taking into it the belt of trees on its Western side. The female South airing ground has been remodeled and laid out, and in the spring of the year about twenty-five full grown chesnut trees were transplanted from the front associated airing ground and placed so as to form an avenue around the broad walk. All those patients whose mental condition would allow of more extended exercise have been permitted to join the country walking parties which take place weekly. Some patients have had leave granted them for short periods to visit their friends; to all classes this indulgence has a great effect in lessening that feeling of detention and confinement which the inmates of Asylums so frequently experience and complain of. To the more hopeful class these probationary absences are useful in testing their power of self-control, and in determining their fitness for final discharge.

The full services in the Chapel on Sundays and on Wednesdays and Friday evenings have been conducted throughout the year as usual, and have been well attended by the patients.

I have the honor to remain,

GENTLEMEN,

Your obedient Servant,

H. ROOKE LEY.

SALOP AND MONTGOMERYSHIRE
COUNTIES LUNATIC ASYLUM.



T A B L E S ,

ILLUSTRATING THE

MEDICAL, DOMESTIC, AND FINANCIAL

RESULTS OF THE YEAR 1870.

GENERAL STATEMENT.

MENTAL DISEASE.										Resident		ADMISSIONS DURING THE YEAR.												Total of those Resident and Ad- mitted.		DISCHARGED.										DEATHS.								Total Dis- charges and Deaths.		Remaining 31st December, 1870.		
										January		For 1st time in an Asylum.		On Account of Relapse.		By re-entry after escape or removal before Recovery		By transfer from another Asylum.		Total Number Ad- mitted.		By Recovery				By Improvement.		F escape.		On Account of Transference.		For other Causes.		Total Number of Dis- charges.		By Sickness.		By Accident.		By Suicide.		Total Deaths.						
										1st,																																						
										1870.																																						
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	TOTAL.														
SIMPLE INSANITY.	MANIA.....	Simple Acute	8	3	4	9	1	5	9	13	12	10	9	10	9	2	2	2	2	12	11	1	1	2													
		„ Chronic ...	41	60	2	4	1	3	4	44	64	2	2	2	2	1	4	1	4	3	6	41	58	99												
		„ Remittent.	4	10	...	1	3	4	2	1	5	6	9	16	3	4	3	4	...	1	1	3	5	6	11	17													
		„ Epileptic ..	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	3	5	6	11	17
		„ Puerperal.	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	1
	MELANCHOLIA.	Simple Acute	3	4	2	5	2	5	5	9	2	3	2	3	1	1	1	1	3	4	2	5	7													
		„ Chronic....	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...											
		„ Suicidal ...	13	32	4	8	3	7	8	20	40	3	2	3	2	1	2	1	2	4	4	16	36	52													
	Monomania Simple...		6	2	6	2	2	2	...	2	6	...	6														
	Dementia Simple ...		38	59	6	1	1	...	1	6	3	44	62	3	1	3	1	8	2	8	2	11	3	33	59	92													
TOTAL—Simple Insanity ...		113	170	19	30	7	5	3	2	...	1	29	38	142	208	24	23	24	23	13	14	13	14	37	37	105	171	276														
Epileptic Insanity ...		46	33	1	2	1	...	...	...	1	2	3	48	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	1	2	1	2	47	34	81		
Paralytic Insanity ...		28	13	8	3	3	...	11	3	39	16	3	3	...	2	2	...	5	...	34	16	50														
Senile Dementia ...		12	28	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	13	31	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	1	2	...	3	...	...	3	1	5	12	26	38			
Organic Dementia ...		10	4	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	12	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	9	5	14	
IDIOCY.....	Simple ...	12	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	13	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	1	12	4	16
	Imbecility ...	11	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	13	10	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	1	...	2	1	4	1	9	9	18			
	Weakness of Mind	4	9	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	7	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	9	16
TOTAL Number of Patients ...		236	272	36	38	9	6	3	2	3	2	51	48	287	322	24	23	7	2	31	25	21	21	21	21	52	46	235	274	509														

TABLE 1:

Summary of the Admissions, Re-admissions, Discharges, and Deaths,
during the year 1870.

	Male.	Female.	Total.
In the Asylum January 1st, 1870	236	272	508
	Male.	Female.	Total.
Admitted for the first } time during the year }	39	40	79
Re-admitted during the } year	12	8	20
	51	48	99
Total under Care during the year	287	320	677
DISCHARGED OR REMOVED.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Recovered	24	23	47
Relieved	7	2	9
Not Improved .....	..	..	..
Died	21	21	42
Total Discharged and Died during the year	52	46	98
Remaining in the Asylum 31st December, 1870	235	274	509
Average numbers resident during the year	233	272	505

TABLE 2:

Shewing the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, from the opening of the Asylum to the present date, December 31st, 1870.

	Male.	Female.	Total.
Persons admitted during the period of 26 years	1107	1136	2243
Re-admissions	293	337	630
	1400	1473	2873
DISCHARGED OR REMOVED.			
	Male.	Female.	Total.
Recovered	543	658	1201
Relieved	124	125	249
Not Improved	30	30	60
Died	468	386	854
Total Discharged and Died during the 26 years	1165	1199	2364
Remaining 31st December, 1870.....	235	274	509
Average numbers resident during the 26 years .....	.....	.....	310

TABLE 3:

Shewing the Admissions, Discharges and Deaths, with the mean Annual Mortality, and proportion of Recoveries per cent. of Admissions, for each year since the opening of the Asylum.

YEARS.	ADMITTED.			DISCHARGED.						DIED.			Remaining 31st December, in each year.			Average Numbers Resident.			Per Centage of Recoveries on Admission.			Per Centage of Deaths on Average Numbers Resident.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Recovered.		Relieved.		Not Improved.		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
				Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.															
1845	51	38	89	3	2	5	1	1	1	4	...	4	42	35	77	...	...	56	5.58	5.26	5.55	...	...	8.92
1846	23	37	60	9	8	14	2	2	3	9	4	13	49	56	105	...	...	100	26.08	21.62	23.33	...	...	14.
1847	42	28	70	11	18	29	1	1	1	13	3	16	65	62	127	...	...	118	26.19	64.32	41.42	...	...	13.55
1848	31	31	62	11	16	27	1	1	4	9	7	16	73	68	141	...	...	133	35.48	51.61	43.54	...	...	12.03
1849	37	51	88	14	30	44	1	1	3	8	8	16	88	77	165	...	...	155	37.83	58.82	50.	...	...	10.32
1850	40	63	103	20	26	46	1	1	4	10	11	21	95	102	197	...	...	186	50.	41.26	45.63	...	...	11.29
1851	48	51	99	16	22	38	3	...	...	19	11	30	103	115	218	...	...	212	33.33	43.13	38.38	...	...	14.15
1852	39	44	83	16	20	36	2	2	3	16	10	26	105	125	230	...	...	226	41.02	45.45	43.23	...	...	11.50
1853	45	68	113	19	32	51	4	1	6	5	10	15	121	148	269	...	...	251	42.22	47.05	45.13	...	...	5.97
1854	65	64	129	25	28	53	4	2	1	16	10	26	137	168	305	...	...	293	38.46	43.75	41.08	...	...	8.87
1855	65	43	108	29	25	54	5	...	...	18	13	31	150	169	319	...	...	316	44.61	58.13	50.	...	...	9.49
1856	52	48	100	17	20	37	8	1	3	19	14	33	157	172	329	...	...	320	32.69	41.66	37.	...	...	10.31
1857	51	62	113	27	29	56	3	1	1	23	23	46	154	179	333	...	...	329	56.86	46.77	49.55	...	...	13.98
1858	50	50	100	22	26	48	2	...	...	15	18	33	165	177	342	...	...	337	44.	52.	48.	...	...	9.79
1859	50	73	123	30	39	69	1	2	6	17	18	35	163	187	350	...	...	379	60.	53.42	56.71	...	...	10.08
1860	54	72	126	21	20	41	...	2	5	17	27	44	176	201	377	...	...	358	38.88	22.22	32.53	...	...	12.29
1861	49	68	117	36	51	87	2	1	1	13	16	29	174	196	370	...	...	363	73.46	75.	74.23	...	...	7.98
1862	71	63	134	23	29	52	5	2	2	27	16	43	190	209	399	...	...	380	32.39	46.03	38.80	...	...	11.31
1863	52	60	112	28	27	55	5	1	1	19	18	37	189	214	403	...	...	396	53.84	45.	49.10	...	...	9.34
1864	84	54	138	34	25	59	3	2	4	26	14	40	178	214	392	...	...	404	40.47	46.29	42.03	...	...	9.90
1865	103	84	187	29	27	56	16	...	...	43	20	63	193	229	422	...	...	390	28.14	32.14	42.75	...	...	16.15
1866	56	66	122	18	21	39	1	2	...	26	26	52	201	245	446	...	...	433	32.14	31.81	31.96	...	...	12.
1867	54	75	129	20	37	57	4	1	2	17	23	40	213	257	470	...	...	467	37.03	49.33	44.18	...	...	8.56
1868	60	58	118	20	31	51	5	...	...	33	22	55	215	252	467	...	...	480	33.33	53.44	43.38	...	...	11.66
1869	77	74	151	24	26	50	7	...	...	25	23	48	236	272	508	...	...	485	31.16	35.13	33.11	...	...	9.89
1870	51	48	99	24	23	47	7	...	...	21	21	42	235	274	509	...	...	505	47.3	47.4	47.4	...	...	8.31
TOTAL (26 years) and Averages.	1400	1473	2873	543	658	1201	124	30	60	468	386	854	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	53.22	56.17	110.13	20.23	25.8	46.19	4.7	1.22	2.3	18.	14.8	32.8	148.7	169.3	318.0	...	...	310.4	38.7	44.6	42.1	...	...	10.5

TABLE 4:

Shewing the History of the Annual Admissions since the opening of the Asylum, with the Discharges and Deaths, and the Numbers of each year remaining on the 31st December, 1870.

ADMITTED.				Of each Year's Admissions, Discharged and Died in 1870.				Total Discharged and Died of each Year's Admissions, to 31st December, 1870.				Remaining of each year's Admissions, Dec. 31st, 1870.		
Year.	New Cases.		Total	Recovered.		Relieved.		Not Improved.		Died.		Male.	Female.	Total.
	Male.	Female.		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.			
1845	50	38	89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	8
1846	21	32	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	4
1847	38	28	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4
1848	29	26	62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
1849	31	44	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	6
1850	32	55	103	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
1851	42	43	99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7	9
1852	32	32	83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	6
1853	39	54	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	6
1854	50	48	129	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	7
1855	51	35	108	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	6
1856	41	40	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	6
1857	39	46	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	12	14
1858	39	37	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	7
1859	39	52	123	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	6
1860	40	52	126	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5	8
1861	37	43	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	6
1862	58	49	134	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	7
1863	41	38	112	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5	9
1864	63	34	138	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	7
1865	52	47	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4	10
1866	45	57	129	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	7
1867	44	64	118	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	10	23
1868	49	44	118	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	13	20
1869	66	58	151	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	12	23
1870	39	40	99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	36	71
Total.	1107	1136	2873	24	23	47	7	2	9	21	21	235	274	509

SUMMARY OF THE TOTAL ADMISSIONS, 1845—1870.

Per Centage of Cases	Recovered.		Total.
	Male.	Female.	
Recovered.....	38.43	44.39	41.41
Relieved.....	8.64	8.67	8.66
Not Improved.....	2.35	2.14	2.15
Dead.....	33.12	25.51	29.31
Remaining.....	17.46	19.29	18.47

TABLE 5 :

Shewing the number of Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, in each Month, during the year 1870.

Month.		Admissions.			Discharges.			Deaths.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
January	...	5	4	9	1	1	2	..	4	4
February	...	2	6	8	5	2	7	6	3	9
March	...	6	7	13	1	3	4	3	1	4
April	...	2	3	5	3	1	4	1	4	5
May	...	6	4	10	..	..	..	1	2	3
June	...	4	5	9	4	2	6	2	3	5
July	...	4	1	5	2	4	6	1	..	1
August	...	3	4	7	1	3	4	1	1	2
September	...	4	2	6	5	2	7	1	1	2
October	...	2	3	5	2	1	3	3	..	3
November	...	4	6	10	4	4	8	1	1	2
December	...	9	3	12	3	2	5	1	1	2
Total	...	51	48	99	31	25	56	21	21	42

TABLE 6 :

Shewing the length of Residence in the Asylum in those Discharged
Recovered, and in those who Died, during the Year 1870.

Length of Residence.					Recovered.			Died.		
					Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Under	1 Month..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
From	1 to 3 Months..	..	..	..	8	2	10	1	2	3
„	3 to 6 „	..	..	..	4	10	14	1	..	1
„	6 to 9 „	..	..	..	5	1	6	..	2	2
„	9 to 12 „	..	..	..	2	6	8	2	..	2
„	1 to 2 Years	..	..	..	5	2	7	2	3	5
„	2 to 3 „	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	1	3
„	3 to 4 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	3
„	4 to 5 „	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	4
„	5 to 6 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1	6
„	6 to 7 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
„	7 to 8 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
„	8 to 9 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
„	9 to 10 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„	10 to 11 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„	11 to 12 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„	12 to 13 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„	13 to 14 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
„	14 to 15 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„	15 to 16 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
„	16 to 17 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„	17 to 18 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
„	18 to 19 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„	19 to 20 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
„	20 to 21 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
„	21 to 22 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
„	22 to 23 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„	23 to 24 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
„	24 to 25 „	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2
Total					24	23	47	21	21	42

TABLE 7:

Shewing the Duration of the Disorder on Admission, in the Admissions, Discharges and Deaths, during the year 1870.

CLASS.	Duration of Disease on Admission in Four Classes.														
	On Admission.			Recovered.			Relieved.			Not Improved.			Died.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
FIRST CLASS.															
First Attack, and within three months on Admission	14	7	21	17	12	29	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4	7
SECOND CLASS.															
First Attack, above three, and within twelve months on Admission	14	19	33	1	4	5	2	..	2	..	..	..	4	3	7
THIRD CLASS.															
Not First Attack, and within twelve months on Admission	11	9	20	6	6	12	1	1	2	..	..	..	4	5	9
FOURTH CLASS.															
First Attack or not, but of more than twelve months on Admission	12	13	25	..	1	1	4	1	5	..	..	..	10	9	10
Total	51	48	99	24	23	47	7	2	9	..	..	..	21	21	42

TABLE 8:

Shewing the Ages of the Admissions, Discharges and Deaths, during the year 1870.

Ages.	The Admissions.			The Discharges.						Died.		
				Recovered.			Relieved.			Not Improved.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
From 5 to 10 years	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" 10 " 15	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...
" 15 " 20	...	3	3	2	2	4	1	...	1	...	1	1
" 20 " 25	...	3	3	...	3	3	1	...	1	...	...	1
" 25 " 30	5	4	9	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	2
" 30 " 35	8	4	12	7	4	11	...	...	...	...	3	4
" 35 " 40	8	5	13	3	5	8	...	...	...	...	...	2
" 40 " 45	11	6	17	5	3	8	2	...	2	...	1	1
" 45 " 50	3	7	10	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	4	8
" 50 " 55	5	3	8	1	1	2	1	...	1	...	1	3
" 55 " 60	4	6	10	1	...	1	...	...	...	5	1	6
" 60 " 65	2	2	4	...	1	3	...	...	1	2	1	3
" 65 " 70	1	1	2	2	1	3	1	1	2	...	...	4
" 70 " 75	3	1	4	1	...	1	1	1	2	...	1	2
" 75 " 80	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	4	4
" 80 " 85	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
" 85 " 90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" 90 and upwards	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	51	48	99	24	23	47	7	2	9	...	21	42

TABLE 9 :

Shewing the Conditions as to Marriage, Discharges and Deaths, during the year 1870.

Conditions in reference to Marriage.		The Admissions.			The Discharges.						The Deaths.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Recovered.			Relieved.			Not Improved.		
					Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Single	...	21	18	39	9	6	15	3	...	3	...	9	17
Married	...	21	24	45	12	14	26	4	...	4	...	7	20
Widowed	...	9	6	15	3	3	6	...	2	2	...	5	5
Total	...	51	48	99	24	23	47	7	2	9	...	21	42

TABLE 10:

Shewing the probable Causes, apparent or assigned of the Disorders in the Admissions, Discharges and Deaths, during the year 1870.

CAUSES.		THE ADMISSIONS			THE DISCHARGES.									THE DEATHS.		
					Recovered.			Relieved.			Not Improved.					
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
PHYSICAL.	Hereditary Predisposition ...	1	3	4	5	1	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4	11
	Hereditary Predisposition and Intemperance ...	2	...	2	2	...	2	...	..	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Hereditary Predisposition and Previous Attacks ...	3	...	3	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	Hereditary Predisposition and Hysteria ...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hereditary Predisposition and General Bad Health ...	1	1	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hereditary Predisposition and Sunstroke ...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Epilepsy ...	1	4	5	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3
	„ and Congenital Weakness of Mind ...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Intemperance ...	8	1	9	4	...	4	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Affections of the Brain & Spine ...	9	3	12	...	...	..	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
	Uterine Diseases ...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Disorders of Parturition ...	...	1	1	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	„ „ Lactation ...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Previous Attacks ...	6	5	11	1	5	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	„ „ and Intemperance ...	3	...	3	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Previous Attacks & Bad Health ...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	Climacteric Period ...	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	General Bad Health ...	2	2	4	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
	Decay of Old Age ...	1	3	4	...	1	1	2	2	4	...	...	...	1	4	5
	Congenital Weakness of Mind	5	1	6	1	...	1	3	...	3	...	...	...	1	3	4
MORAL.	Hereditary Predisposition and Mental Anxiety ...	2	3	5	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hereditary Predisposition and Domestic Trouble...	1	4	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Previous Attacks and Mental Anxiety ...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Previous Attacks and Fear ...	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Poverty, Distress, and Pecuniary Reverses...	2	1	3	2	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
	Dissolute Habits ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Overwork ...	1	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Unknown ...	1	2	3	1	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Total ...		51	48	99	24	23	47	7	2	9	...	...	...	21	21	42

TABLE 11 :

Shewing the Religious Profession and Degree of Education of those
Admitted during the year 1870.

Religion.					Male.	Female.	Total.
Church of England	...	...	...		28	29	57
Dissenters	...	...	...	...	6	1	7
Methodists	...	...	...	...	8	7	15
Independents	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
Wesleyans	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Baptists	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
Roman Catholics	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
Unknown	...	...	...	...	5	5	10
Total					51	48	99
DEGREE OF EDUCATION.							
Of Fair Education	...	...	...		3	1	4
Can Read and Write			...	...	20	21	41
Can Read only	..	...	...	...	1	5	6
Can neither Read nor Write			...	...	24	20	44
Not Ascertained	...	...	...	...	3	1	4
Total					51	48	99

TABLE 12:

Shewing the Occupation of the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths,
during the year 1870.

OCCUPATION.	THE ADMISSIONS			THE DISCHARGES.						THE DEATHS.		
				Recovered.			Relieved.					
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Agricultural & other Labourers, and their Wives... ..	17	14	31	11	7	18	...	1	1	8	6	14
Domestic Servants... ..	...	15	15	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	5	5
Shoemakers and Wives	4	2	6	1	2	3	...	...	...	2	...	2
Housewives... ..	...	6	6	...	6	6	...	1	1	...	1	1
Milliners and Dressmakers	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Gardeners	1	1	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Butchers	2	...	2	1	...	1	2	...	2	...	...	...
Blacksmiths	1	1	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Butler ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Wheelwright	2	...	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1
Employed in Foundry	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Booksellers and Printers	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baker	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shopkeepers and Assistants	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Engine Drivers	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miners and Wives... ..	...	1	1	1	1	2	1	...	1	4	2	6
Spinner ... ..	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Horse Trainer ... ..	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Musician	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tailor... ..	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prisoners	4	...	4	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brickmaker... ..	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Schoolmaster	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midwife ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Grocer	2	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coach Painter	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Basket Maker	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Currier	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Railway Official's Wife	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sawyer	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surgeon's Assistant	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drainer	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paupers. Idiots of no Occupation	3	3	6	...	1	1	3	...	3	3	4	7
Innkeeper ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
General Dealer ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Total	51	48	99	24	23	47	7	2	9	21	21	42

TABLE 13:
ANALYSIS OF THE RECOVERIES DURING THE YEAR 1870.
MALE.

No. of Register.	Age on Admission.	Social State.	Occupation,	Age on 1st Attack.	Number of Previous Attacks.	Form of Mental Disease.	Cause of Mental Disease.			State of Bodily Health on Admission.	Duration of Insanity previous to Admission.			Duration of Treatment in Asylum.			Union.	Prognosis.
							Moral.	Physical.			Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.		
2771	35	Single.....	Horse Trainer ...	35	...	Acute Mania ...	...	...	Intemperance ...	Fair ...	...	7	...	1	...	Shrewsbury ...	Unfavourable.
2776	50	Married ...	Farmer's Bailiff ..	40	2	Acute Mania ...	...	...	Previous Attacks ...	Fair ...	...	7	...	1	14	Ellesmere ...	Unfavourable.
2767	36	Single.....	Spinner ...	32	1	Chronic Mania ...	...	...	General Bad Health ...	Weak ...	...	1	...	2	...	Newtown and Llanidloes	Favourable.
2686	32	Married ...	Baker ...	18	3	Recurrent Mania ...	...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Good...	...	14	...	8	...	Oswestry ...	Unfavourable.
2729	34	Single.....	Labourer ...	20	3	Remittent Mania ...	...	...	Hereditary. Previous Attacks.	Weak ...	...	1	...	1	5	Cleobury Mortimer..	Unfavourable.
2770	34	Married ...	Miner ...	34	...	Chronic Mania ...	...	...	Unknown ...	Very Weak ...	...	1	...	3	...	Madeley ...	Favourable.
2747	59	Married ..	Butcher ...	59	...	Acute Mania ...	...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Fair ...	...	1	...	6	...	Oswestry ...	Unfavourable.
2804	43	Widowed .	Waggoner ...	43	...	Acute Melancholia..	Grief ...	...	Intemperance ...	Weak ...	...	7	...	1	...	Shrewsbury...	Favourable.
2739	45	Married ...	Prisoner ...	45	...	Acute Melancholia .	Poverty and Distress	...	Weak Bodily Health	Very Weak...	...	1	...	9	...	County of Salop ..	Favourable.	
2809	28	Single.....	Coach Painter ...	28	...	Acute Mania ...	...	...	Intemperance ...	Weak ...	...	7	...	2	...	Shrewsbury ...	Favourable.
2755	30	Married ...	Book Hawker ...	30	...	Acute Mania ...	...	...	Intemperance ...	Weak ...	...	7	...	9	...	Market Drayton ..	Unfavourable.
2830	33	Widowed .	Farmer ...	33	...	Acute Mania ...	...	...	Intemperance ...	Good ...	...	7	...	1	14	Ellesmere ...	Unfavourable.
2778	44	Single.....	Labourer ...	30	3	Recurrent Mania ..	...	...	Hereditary. Previous Attacks.	Good ...	...	1	...	8	...	Shrewsbury ...	Unfavourable.
2835	40	Married ...	Labourer ...	40	...	Acute Mania ...	Poverty ...	...	Exhaustion ...	Very Weak...	...	7	...	1	14	Bishop's Castle ..	Favourable.
2807	30	Single.....	Grocer ...	30	...	Acute Mania ...	...	...	Hereditary Predisposition and Intemperance	Weak ...	...	21	...	5	...	Ludlow ...	Unfavourable.
2802	72	Widowed .	Labourer ...	72	...	Simple Dementia ...	...	...	Bad Health ...	Very Weak...	...	21	...	7	...	Ludlow ...	Favourable.
2837	65	Married ...	Mason ...	45	3	Suicidal Melancholia	...	...	Previous Attacks. Intemperance	Very Weak and Feeble	...	21	...	1	14	Church Stretton ..	Unfavourable.
2832	40	Single.....	Shoemaker ...	40	...	Simple Dementia ...	...	...	Hereditary Predisposition and Intemperance	Weak ...	...	7	...	3	...	Ellesmere ...	Favourable.
2678	18	Single.....	Labourer ...	17	...	Simple Dementia ...	...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Very Weak...	...	3	...	1	4	Wellington ...	Unfavourable.
2715	32	Married ...	Miller ...	32	...	Acute Mania ...	...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Weak and Feeble	...	21	...	1	2	Machynlleth ..	Unfavourable.
2696	39	Married ...	Labourer ...	39	...	Suicidal Melancholia	...	...	Hereditary Predisposition and Sunstroke	Very Weak...	...	3	...	1	4	Atcham ...	Unfavourable.
2817	68	Married ...	Wheelwright ...	40	3	Suicidal Melancholia	...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Weak ...	...	1	...	5	...	Church Stretton ...	Unfavourable.
2816	44	Married ...	Gardener ...	32	12	Epileptic Mania ...	...	...	Epilepsy ...	Weak ...	...	7	...	6	...	Shrewsbury...	Unfavourable.
2675	16	Single.....	Labourer ...	16	...	Acute Mania ...	...	...	Congenital Weakness	Very Weak...	...	7	1	6	...	Atcham ...	Unfavourable.

TABLE 13: CONTINUED.

FEMALE.

No. of Register.	Age on Admission.	Social State.	Occupation.	Age at 1st Attack.	Number of Previous Attacks.	Form of Mental Disease.	Cause of Mental Disease.		State of Bodily Health on Admission.	Duration of Insanity previous to Admission.			Duration of Treatment in Asylum.			Union.	Prognosis.
							Moral.	Physical.		Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.		
2765	38	Married...	Wife of Labourer	38	...	Acute Mania ...	Mental Insanity ...	Hereditary ...	Fair ...	6	...	...	9	22	...	Montgomery	Unfavourable.
2759	30	Widow ...	Innkeeper ...	30	1	Recurrent Mania ...	...	Previous Attacks	Weak ...	...	21	...	3	...	...	Shrewsbury	Unfavourable.
2642	24	Married...	Wife of Shoe-maker	24	...	Puerperal Mania ...	...	Puerperal ...	Very Weak...	1	...	...	11	...	...	Market Drayton	Favourable.
2766	18	Single.....	Servant ...	18	...	Acute Mania ...	Not known ...	...	Weak ...	7	...	4	...	...	...	Madeley	Favourable.
2758	21	Single.....	None ...	16	3	Recurrent Mania ...	...	Hereditary Predisposition and Previous Attacks	Fair ...	14	...	5	...	...	...	Atcham	Unfavourable.
2789	49	Single.....	Servant ...	48	...	Chronic Mania ...	...	Climacteric Period	Fair ...	1	4	...	9	...	...	Llanfyllin	Unfavourable.
2685	34	Married...	Wife of Labourer	31	1	Acute Melancholia..	Fright ...	Previous Attacks	Very Weak...	6	...	9	...	...	...	Newtown and Llanidloes	Unfavourable.
2787	36	Married...	Coal Miner's Wife	36	...	Acute Mania ...	...	Epilepsy ...	Weak ...	1	14	...	5	...	...	Atcham	Unfavourable.
2805	40	Married...	Wife of Smith ...	36	1	Suicidal Melancholia	...	Previous Attacks	Weak ...	6	...	3	...	...	...	Shifnal	Unfavourable.
2786	53	Married...	Wife of Labourer	31	2	Acute Mania ...	Anxiety ...	Previous Attacks	Very Weak...	14	...	5	...	...	...	Atcham	Unfavourable.
2264	30	Widow ...	Wife of Labourer	30	...	Acute Mania ...	...	Epilepsy ...	Weak ...	1	4	...	...	...	...	Atcham	Unfavourable.
2488	47	Married...	Wife of Labourer	45	3	Chronic Melancholia	Grief ...	...	Fair ...	6	1	9	...	...	...	Shrewsbury	Unfavourable.
2825	81	Widow ...	None ...	81	...	Simple Dementia ...	...	Senility ...	Weak ...	7	3	...	...	...	...	Whitchurch	Unfavourable.
2712	69	Married...	Wife of Shoe-maker	20	22	Recurrent Mania ...	...	Previous Attacks	Weak ...	7	11	...	...	...	...	Clun	Unfavourable.
2660	35	Single.....	Daughter of Labourer	35	...	Suicidal Melancholia	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Very Weak...	1	14	1	3	...	...	Atcham	Unfavourable.
2820	30	Married...	Wife of Milkman.	26	2	Acute Mania ...	...	Previous Attacks	Weak ...	1	14	3	...	...	...	Shrewsbury	Unfavourable.
2833	40	Single.....	Sempstress ...	30	2	Chronic Mania ...	Anxiety ...	Previous Attacks	Fair ...	1	3	...	...	...	...	Shrewsbury	Unfavourable.
2459	35	Married...	Wife of Labourer	35	1	Acute Mania ...	Domestic Trouble	...	Very Weak...	2	2	1	...	...	...	Shrewsbury	Unfavourable.
2849	15	Single.....	Servant ...	15	1	Acute Mania ...	Shock ...	...	Fair ...	7	1	14	...	...	...	Shrewsbury	Favourable.
2818	24	Married...	Wife of Smith ...	24	1	Acute Melancholia.	Anxiety ...	...	Very Weak...	7	6	...	...	...	...	Oswestry	Unfavourable.
2836	47	Married...	Wife of Labourer	47	1	Acute Melancholia.	...	Bad Health	Very Weak...	7	3	...	...	...	...	Shifnal	Favourable.
2854	41	Married...	Wife of Labourer	18	4	Acute Mania ...	...	Previous Attacks	Fair ...	1	2	...	...	...	...	Madeley	Unfavourable.
2795	38	Married...	Wife of Labourer	38	2	Recurrent Mania ...	...	Previous Attacks	Weak ...	1	9	...	...	...	...	Montgomery	Unfavourable.

TABLE 14:

ANALYSIS OF THE MALE OBITUARY, 1870.

No. of Register.	Age at Death.	Social State.	Age on 1st Attack.	Number of Previous Attacks.	Form of Mental Disease.	Cause of Mental Disease.		State of Bodily Health on Admission.	Duration of Attack previous to Admission.			Duration of Treatment in Asylum.			Cause of Death.	Union.
						Moral.	Physical.		Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.		
113	54	Married ...	30	1	Dementia ...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Indifferent ...	...	6	...	17	7	14	Chronic Disease of Brain and Pneumonia.	Newtown.
2078	50	Married ...	45	...	Dementia ...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Weak ...	...	14	...	5	...	18	Syncope from Heart Disease ...	Market Drayton.
1958	50	Married ...	45	...	Dementia ...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Weak ...	...	3	...	5	11	8	Pneumonia ...	Market Drayton.
101	56	Married ...	32	...	Dementia ...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Fair ...	...	4	...	24	...	7	Influenza. Epileptiform Convulsions.	Cleobury Mortimer.
1830	52	Married ...	33	2	Dementia ...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Fair ...	...	1	...	7	...	24	General Paralysis ...	Newport.
2159	76	Married ...	37	2	Dementia ...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Fair ...	...	14	8	5	3	...	Senile Decay ...	Atcham.
2150	27	Single.....	From birth.	2	Imbecility ...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Bad...	...	From birth.	5	3	8	...	Phthisis ...	Bridgnorth.
294	48	Single.....	22	2	Epileptic Dementia.	...	Epilepsy ...	Fair...	...	5	7	21	...	13	Epilepsy. Effusion on Brain ...	Llanfyllin.
2785	53	Married ...	53	1	Acute Melancholia..	Poverty and Distress	...	Very Weak and Feeble ...	...	2	...	1	8	...	Pneumonia. Exhaustion after Mania.	Newtown Llanidloes
2574	71	Single.....	69	1	Dementia ...	...	Decay of Old Age...	Very Weak and Feeble ...	...	1	9	1	10	...	Senile Decay ...	Newtown Llanidloes
2514	62	Married ...	60	1	Suicidal Melancholia	Mental Anxiety	...	Very Weak and Feeble ...	...	2	...	2	4	...	Bronchitis. Senile Decay ...	Madeley.
2191	45	Married ...	30	2	Dementia ...	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Weak ...	...	7	6	5	1	...	Phthisis ...	Shrewsbury.
2533	57	Single.....	41	1	Chronic Mania ...	Dissolute Habits	...	Weak ...	...	14	...	2	3	7	Pneumonia ...	Montgomery County
2831	37	Single.....	20	3	Acute Mania ...	Mental Anxiety	Previous Attacks...	Very Weak ...	...	2	...	...	11	...	Acute Mania. Exhaustion ...	Church Stretton.
2664	45	Married ...	44	1	General Paralysis...	...	Affection of the Brain	Weak ...	...	1	...	1	2	3	General Paralysis. Epileptiform Convulsions	Bridgnorth.
2841	47	Married ...	47	1	General Paralysis...	...	Affection of the Brain	Very Weak...	...	2	...	3	7	...	General Paralysis ...	Madeley.
2746	82	Single.....	From birth.	...	Imbecility ...	...	Congenital...	Weak ...	...	From birth.	...	11	26	...	Epilepsy ...	Ludlow.
2273	61	Married ...	56	2	Paralytic Dementia.	...	Hereditary Predisposition and Intemperance.	Weak ...	...	21	4	6	21	...	General Paralysis...	Shrewsbury.
2290	34	Single.....	30	1	Mania ...	...	Epilepsy ...	Weak ...	...	3	...	4	6	11	Epilepsy ...	Madeley.
2468	66	Married ...	62	1	Paralytic Dementia.	Poverty and Distress	Disease of Brain ...	Very Weak...	...	1	...	3	2	16	General Paralysis ...	Wellington.
2677	29	Single ...	27	2	Paralytic Dementia.	...	Intemperance and previous Attacks.	Weak ...	...	18	1	5	17	...	General Paralysis ...	Wellington.

TABLE 14: CONTINUED.

ANALYSIS OF THE FEMALE OBITUARY, 1870.

No. of Register.	Age at Death.	Social State.	Age at 1st Attack.	Number of Previous Attacks.	Form of Mental Disease.	Cause of Mental Disease.		State of Bodily Health on Admission.	Duration of Attack previous to Admission.			Duration of Treatment in Asylum.			Cause of Death.	Union.
						Moral.	Physical.		Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.		
2217	31	Single	27	1	Congenital Imbecility	Con	genital	Weak	5	2	...	5	...	14	Chronic Disease of Heart and Kidneys Ascites.	Bridgnorth.
2270	80	Widow ...	76	1	Dementia ... ..	...	Senile Decay	Very Weak... ..	...	6	...	3	11	8	Senile Decay	Shrewsbury.
771	65	Married ...	43	1	Monomania... ..	Poverty	Climacteric Period ...	Extremely Emaciated ...	...	1	2	17	...	5	Senile Decay	Cleobury.
1842	48	Married ...	32	1	Epileptic Dementia.	...	Epilepsy	Fair	8	...	...	6	10	6	Epilepsy	Madeley.
2532	15	Single.....	From birth.	1	Idiocy... ..	Con	genital	Weak and Emaciated ...	...	From birth	...	1	11	...	Phthisis	Atcham.
2782	57	Married ...	56	1	Melancholia ... ..	...	General Bad Health ...	Weak and Emaciated ...	...	9	...	...	...	23	Phthisis	Shifnal.
73	77	Married ...	52	1	Monomania	Not	known	Good... ..	3	...	24	24	6	8	Senile Decay	Whitchurch.
2794	64	Widow ...	64	1	Melancholia	Poverty ... ..	...	Very Weak and Emaciated ...	...	1	14	...	...	15	Senile Decay	Oswestry.
2789	69	Single.....	60	2	Melancholia ... ..	...	Hereditary Predisposition.	Very Weak and Emaciated ...	4	...	...	...	1	15	Disease of Heart and Kidneys Exhaustion.	Madeley.
2525	28	Single.....	From birth.	1	Epileptic Dementia	Con	genital	Weak and Feeble ... ..	...	From birth	...	2	...	11	Epilepsy	Oswestry.
2228	67	Widow ...	37	2	Acute Mania ... ..	...	Hereditary Predisposition.	Very Weak... ..	4	9	...	4	3	20	Disease of Brain. Senile Decay	Shrewsbury.
400	45	Single.....	17	3	Dementia ... ..	...	Hereditary Predisposition	Emaciated	8	4	...	20	...	8	Disease of Brain. Senile Decay	Wem.
2300	43	Married ...	39	1	Mania	Poverty	Ill Health	Weak and Reduced ... ..	...	1	...	3	11	23	Phthisis	Wellington.
849	48	Single.....	15	2	Mania ... ..	...	Previous Attacks Hysteria	Emaciated	2	...	...	15	10	10	Phthisis	Madeley.
2271	34	Single.....	30	1	Mania	Not	known	Weak ... ..	...	8	...	4	3	6	Phthisis	Llanfyllin.
2752	81	Married ...	80	1	Senile Dementia ...	...	Decay of Old Age ...	Very Weak and Emaciated ...	...	2	...	...	6	24	Senile Decay	Bridgnorth.
2671	54	Single.....	23	3	Recurrent Mania ...	...	Hereditary Predisposition and Previous Attacks	Weak and Depressed ...	...	2	...	1	1	8	Disease of Heart and Lungs	Ludlow.
2839	49	Married ...	49	1	Acute Mania ... ..	...	General Bad Health ...	Extremely Weak and Exhausted	...	1	14	14	...	6	Moniacal Exhaustion	Shrewsbury.
2801	84	Widow ...	74	1	Senile Dementia ...	...	Decay of Old Age ...	Very Weak and Feeble ...	...	1	...	...	6	1	Senile Decay	Shrewsbury.
2613	82	Widow ...	80	1	Senile Dementia ...	...	Decay of Old Age ...	Weak and Feeble ... ..	...	2	1	1	11	20	Senile Decay	Shrewsbury.
1782	32	Single.....	24	1	Melancholia	Disappointment...	Hereditary Predisposition.	Weak and Emaciated ...	...	2	...	8	3	...	Phthisis	Llanfyllin.

WEEKLY COST OF MAINTENANCE FROM 1859 TO 1869, INCLUSIVE.

	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1867.	1868.	1869.	Average
Salaries & Wages	s. d. 1 8	s. d. 1 10½	s. d. 1 10⅜	s. d. 1 9¾	s. d. 1 9½	s. d. 1 8⅜	s. d. 1 10¼	s. d. 1 8⅞	s. d. 1 8½	s. d. 1 9½	s. d. 1 8	s. d. 1 9½
Provisions	4 5¼	4 7⅞	5 2⅜	4 8	4 5½	4 3⅝	4 4¼	4 8⅝	5 3⅜	5 0⅞	4 10⅛	4 8⅝
Wine, Spirits, and Dispensary . . }	2	2	2	1¾	2⅜	3	3¼	2⅞	1⅞	2⅛	2⅞	2⅞
Necessaries	1 0¼	11¼	10½	10¾	9	8½	9⅞	10¼	10⅜	11⅝	1 0⅝	10⅝
Clothing, Furniture, Bedding }	1 2⅞	1 3⅝	1 2⅞	1 1¾	1 4¼	1 5⅞	1 2	1 9⅜	1 7	1 2⅝	1 1⅞	1 3⅝
Miscellaneous . .	3¼	4¾	2⅝	2¾	2⅝	3⅞	3⅞	2⅝	3⅞	2	2⅜	3⅞
Garden & Farm..	2	1½	1½	1¾	1½	1⅜	1½	1⅞	2¼	2⅞	2⅜	1⅝
	8 11⅝	9 5½	9 8⅞	8 11½	8 9½	8 8⅜	8 10	9 8⅛	10 1⅞	9 7⅞	9 3⅞	9 3⅞

COCOA FOR 20 PATIENTS:

To contain 15 ounces of Cocoa, 10 ounces of Sugar, $2\frac{1}{2}$ quarts of Milk.

TEA for 20 PATIENTS:

To contain $2\frac{1}{2}$ ounces of Tea, 10 ounces of Sugar; Milk, 1 quart.

PORRIDGE FOR 20 PATIENTS:

To contain 12 ounces of Oatmeal, $2\frac{1}{2}$ pints of Milk.

MEAT AND POTATOE PIE FOR 20 PATIENTS:

To contain 5 pounds of Meat, 15 pounds of Potatoes, 8 ounces of Pie-crust, with appropriate Seasoning.

STEW FOR 20 PATIENTS:

To contain Liquor of Meat cooked the previous day, with 5 pounds of Meat, 30 pounds of Potatoes, and other Vegetables, with appropriate Seasoning.

DIETARY:

May be varied occasionally by Fish, Beans and Bacon, as circumstances will permit, and by order of the Superintendent.

EXTRA DIET:

For Sick and Debilitated, according to Medical order.

SCALE OF SICK DIET:

Beef Tea— $\frac{1}{2}$ pound of Beef per pint.

ATTENDANT'S DIETARY.

MALES WEEKLY ALLOWANCE.—Meat Uncooked with bone 7 pounds, or without bone 6 pounds, $5\frac{1}{2}$ pounds of Vegetables, 21 pints of Beer; Bread at discretion. Tea 3 ounces, Butter 10 ounces, Cheese 1 pound, Milk 2 pints.

FEMALES WEEKLY ALLOWANCE.—Meat Uncooked with bone $5\frac{1}{4}$ pounds, or without bone $4\frac{1}{4}$ pounds, $5\frac{1}{4}$ pounds of Vegetables, $10\frac{1}{2}$ pints of Beer; Bread at discretion. Tea 3 ounces, Butter 10 ounces, Cheese 1 pound, Milk 2 pints.

DIET TABLE
FOR PATIENTS NOT EMPLOYED.

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SUNDAY	Pt.	Cocoa with Milk and Sugar.	oz.	Bread.	oz.	Butter.	Pt.	Cocoa with Milk and Sugar.	oz.	Bread.	oz.	Butter.	oz.	Uncooked Meat free from bone.	oz.	Meat Pie contain- ing 4 oz. Meat.	oz.	Stew containing 4 oz. Meat.	oz.	Pork or Bacon.	oz.	Potatoes and other Vegetables	oz.	Bread.	Pt.	Beer.	oz.	Uncooked Meat free from bone.	oz.	Meat Pie contain- ing 4 oz. Meat.	oz.	Stew containing 4 oz. Meat.	oz.	Pork or Baeon.	oz.	Potatoes and other Vegetables	oz.	Bread.	Pt.	Beer.	Pt.	Tea with Milk and Sugar.	oz.	Bread.	oz.	Butter.	Pt.	Tea with Milk and Sugar.	oz.	Bread.	oz.	Butter.
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TOTAL	7		42		$3\frac{1}{2}$		7		42		$3\frac{1}{2}$		20		12		40		6		60		28		$3\frac{1}{2}$		18		12		40		6		60		18		$3\frac{1}{2}$		7		42		$3\frac{1}{2}$							

DIET TABLE
FOR PATIENTS ACTIVELY EMPLOYED.

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AN ACCOUNT

OF ALL MONIES RECEIVED AND PAID

BY THE TREASURER,

OR OTHERWISE, ON ACCOUNT

OF THE

SALOP AND MONTGOMERY COUNTIES

AND

WENLOCK BOROUGH

LUNATIC ASYLUM,

FOR THE YEAR 1870.

An Account of all Monies received and paid by the Treasurer, or other-
Borough Lunatic Asylum, in respect of Maintenance, Building,

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Balance in Treasurer's hands, 1st Jan. 1870	2129	14	7			
„ Steward's	25	14	11			
				2155	9	6
Received in respect of Maintenance—						
From Atcham ————— Union	895	18	3			
„ Bridgnorth „	569	6	6			
„ Church Stretton „	288	10	1			
„ Cleobury Mortimer „	308	14	4			
„ Clun „	430	4	10			
„ Ellesmere „	369	12	5			
„ Knighton „	48	5	8			
„ Llanfyllin „	671	10	4			
„ Ludlow „	639	16	1			
„ Machynlleth „	133	18	4			
„ Madeley „	1304	1	8			
„ Market Drayton „	377	11	2			
„ Newport „	420	18	10			
„ Newtown „	817	10	10			
„ Oswestry „	729	10	6			
„ Berriew ————— Parish	49	0	11			
„ Castle Caereinion „	12	6	6			
„ Chirbury „	12	6	6			
„ Church Stoke „	12	6	6			
„ Forden „	4	2	8			
„ Leighton „	12	6	6			
„ Llandyssil „	12	6	6			
„ Montgomery „	29	0	7			
„ Pool Middle „	49	6	0			
„ Worthen „	77	8	6			
„ Forden ————— Union	263	12	3			
„ Shifnal „	240	17	9			
„ Holy Cross ————— Parish	73	19	0			
„ Meole Brace „	12	6	6			
„ St. Alkmond „	100	5	7			
„ St. Chad „	318	1	9			
„ St. Julian „	98	13	5			
„ St. Mary „	141	6	10			
„ Tenbury ————— Union	18	0	5			
„ Wellington „	986	6	10			
„ Wem	385	8	0			
„ Whitchurch „	367	17	3			
Amount carried forward	11282	16	7	2155	9	6

ACCOUNT.

wise, on account of the Salop and Montgomery Counties and Wenlock and Repairs, for the Year ending 31st December, 1870.

Paid in respect of Maintenance, and for—					£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
SALARIES AND WAGES.										
Medical Superintendent	..	..	..	..	400	0	0			
Matron	..	..	..	..	60	0	0			
Assistant Medical Officer	..	..	..	..	100	0	0			
Clerk to Visitors and Auditor	..	..	..	..	50	0	0			
Chaplain	..	..	..	..	120	0	0			
Treasurer	..	..	..	..	20	0	0			
Clerk and Steward	..	..	..	..	160	0	0			
Chief Male Attendant and Sempstress	..	..	..	..	55	12	6			
Engineer	..	..	..	..	52	0	0			
Brewer	..	..	..	..	46	16	0			
Male Attendants	..	..	..	..	638	15	2			
Female Attendants	..	..	..	..	282	12	10			
Cook and Laundresses	..	..	..	..	23	8	4			
Kitchen, House, and Scullery Maids	..	..	..	..	27	5	0			
Gate Keeper	..	..	..	..	6	10	0			
Assistant	..	..	..	..	17	14	0			
PROVISIONS.								2060	13	10
Malt,	1200 bus.	at 7/9 to 8/9	..	..	480	0	0			
Hops,	1252 lbs.	at -/8½ to -/10	..	..	51	2	8			
Beef,	66381 lbs.	at -/6 to -/7½	..	..	1827	1	6			
Mutton,	24524 lbs.	at -/5¾ to -/7	..	..	708	1	9			
Other Meat	..	..	..	..	0	6	5			
Suet,	119 lbs.	at -/6	..	..	2	19	6			
Cheese,	11170¼ lbs.	at 48/- to 60/11¾	..	..	249	2	4			
Butter, Salt,	12903 lbs.	at 1/1¾ to 1/3	..	..	762	13	4			
„ Fresh,	153½ lbs.	at 1/3 to 1/9	..	..	11	18	5			
Milk, New,	1157 qts.	at -/2½	..	..	12	1	0			
„ Skimmed	49721 qts.	at -/1¼	..	..	177	11	6			
Flour,	3260 bus.	at 33/- to 38/9 persk.	..	..	1149	14	8			
Oatmeal,	3840 lbs.	at 32/- to 36/-	..	..	27	7	6			
Cocoa,	5847 lbs.	at 45/10 per cwt.	..	..	119	12	10			
Tea,	1974 lbs.	at 2/-	..	..	197	8	0			
Coffee & Chicory,	443 lbs.	at -/7 to 1/-	..	..	20	6	0			
Sugar, Loaf,	392 lbs.	at 41/- to 48/- per cwt.	..	..	8	1	6			
„ Moist,	12992 lbs.	at 30/- to 34/-	..	..	191	12	0			
Rice,	2352 lbs.	at 11/- to 12/-	..	..	11	17	0			
Amount carried forward	..	..	..	..	6008	17	11	2060	13	10

GENERAL

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Amount brought forward	11282	16	7	2155	9	6
MAINTENANCE (CONTINUED.)						
From West London—— Union	6	6	6			
„ Penkridge „	24	2	10			
„ Seisdon „	2	16	6			
„ City of London „	24	2	10			
„ Shrewsbury „	701	7	9			
„ Montgomery County Treasurer, for Care and Maintenance of Patients chargeable to the County of Mont- gomery	55	16	0			
„ Salop County Treasurer, for Care and Maintenance of Patients chargeable to the County of Salop	118	14	11			
„ Shrewsbury Borough Treasurer, for Care and Maintenance of Patients chargeable to the Borough of Shrewsbury	31	17	10			
				12248	1	9
Cash received by Steward, for—						
Rags	6	12	0			
Wages remitted by Servants	3	12	0			
Rates Overdrawn	4	8	0			
Pigs	6	2	6			
Garden Produce	6	13	1½			
				27	7	7½
Received in respect of Repairs—						
From County of Salop	41	0	8			
„ „ Montgomery	394	12	7			
„ Borough of Wenlock	4	5	2			
				439	18	5
Amount carried forward				14870	17	3½

ACCOUNT Continued.

					£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Amount brought forward					6008	17	11	2060	13	10
PROVISIONS (CONTINUED.)										
Pease,	5376 lbs. at 13/- to 14/-..				34	4	0			
Mustard,	288 lbs. at 1/1				15	12	0			
Pepper,	182 lbs. at -/6				4	11	0			
Other Groceries	.. .. ..				35	17	4			
Sago, Tapioca &c.	63lbs. at -/4 and -/8 ..				1	5	8			
Vinegar,	108 gals. at 1/4				7	4	0			
Arrowroot,	1848 lbs. at 1/- to 1/4 ..				115	14	8			
Tobacco,	427 lbs. at 3/4 to 3/9 ..				73	3	0			
Snuff,	54 lbs. at 4/8				12	12	0			
Salt,	8960 lbs. at 1/6 per cwt..				6	0	0			
Potatoes,	896 bus.				149	10	0			
Poultry	.. .. ..				3	12	0			
Fish and Oranges	.. .. ..				20	3	9			
Eggs	.. .. ..				65	13	0			
WINE, SPIRITS, AND PORTER.								6554	0	4
Wine,	60 gals.				21	16	0			
Whiskey,	28 galls. at 17/6				24	10	0			
Porter,	34 kilds. at 23/-				39	2	0			
NECESSARIES.								85	8	0
Soap, Hard,	17911 lbs. at 27/to 33/per cwt.				235	4	6			
,, Soft,	1088 lbs. at 20/- per firkin..				17	0	0			
Soda,	3665 lbs. at 6/- to 7/-per cwt.				10	11	7			
Starch,	265½ lbs. at -/4				4	8	6			
Blue,	49 lbs. at 1/1				4	1	8			
Candles,	60 lbs. at -/6 to -/10 ..				1	18	0			
Lamp Oil,	28 lbs. at 4/- to 4/9 ..				6	4	8			
Linseed Oil,	8 gals. at 4/-				1	12	0			
House Coals,	457T. 18c. 2q. at 12/5 to 13/2				290	2	7			
Furnace Coals,	915T. 12c. 3q. at 12/5 to 13/2				578	5	7			
Gas Coals,	140T. 3c. 3q. at 12/6 to 23/-				105	15	4½			
Coke,	4T. 12c. 2q. at 16/3 ..				3	15	2			
Lime,	6T. 0c. 1q at 11/8 to 12/- ..				4	3	3½			
Cord Wood,	11½				9	8	6			
Amount carried forward					1272	11	5	8700	2	2

GENERAL

		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Amount brought forward ..	..				14870	17	3½
Received in respect of Rent—							
From Borough of Shrewsbury ..	..	193	17	4			
" " Oswestry ..	..	47	7	2			
" " Bridgnorth ..	..	54	18	4			
" " Ludlow	34	12	10			
" West London Union	2	17	6			
" Penkridge "	..	12	7	2			
" Seisdon "	..	1	0	0			
" City of London "	..	12	7	2			
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Sale of Old Boilers				359	7	6
					65	0	0
Received in respect of Building—							
From County of Salop	265	17	4			
" " Montgomery	68	15	7			
" Borough of Wenlock	27	11	8			
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					362	4	7
Amount carried forward				15657	9	4½

ACCOUNT Continued.

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Amount brought forward	1272	11	5	8700	2	2
NECESSARIES (CONTINUED.)						
Matches	2	17	3			
Hearth Stone and Bath-brick	12	12	6			
Blacking and Black-lead	6	1	0			
Cap Paper, 39 reams, at 4/6	8	15	6			
Engine Oil, 71½ galls. at 5/9	20	7	8			
Tallow, 14 lbs. at 7d.	0	8	2			
				1323	13	6
SURGERY AND DISPENSARY.						
Drugs	177	1	6			
				177	1	6
CLOTHING.						
Draper and Mercer for Materials	798	10	1			
Leather	206	5	5			
Shoemaker's Wages	52	10	0			
Tailor's Wages	53	11	0			
				1110	16	6
FURNITURE AND BEDDING.						
American Cloth	6	3	0			
Bed Rugs	18	17	0			
Bed Tick	32	0	11			
Blankets	25	4	6			
Coir for Beds	13	0	7			
„ „ Matting and Mats	36	17	1			
Counterpanes	1	1	0			
Chintz	3	15	2			
Diaper	37	19	3			
Drugget and Carpets	21	19	0			
Pillow Linen	13	12	4			
Sacking for Beds	2	8	5			
Sheeting	53	12	3			
Straw for Beds	17	15	1			
Waterproof Sheetting	17	7	6			
Ironmongery	39	4	0			
Amount carried forward	340	17	1	11311	13	8

GENERAL

				£.	s.	d.
Amount brought forward ..	..	..	..	15657	9	4½
JOHN ROBERTS,						
Clerk of the Asylum.						
				£	15657	9 4½

ACCOUNT Continued.

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Amount brought forward	340	17	1	11311	13	8
FURNITURE AND BEDDING (CONTINUED.)						
Looking Glasses	1	12	0			
Tin Goods	14	18	1			
Earthenware	80	5	7			
Brooms and Brushes	38	9	0			
Baskets	5	13	5			
Floor Cloth	16	5	0			
Furniture	30	4	1			
				528	4	3
Funeral Expenses	52	16	0			
				52	16	0
MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.						
Printing, Bookbinding, Advertising, and Stationery	125	13	4			
Bibles, Prayers, and Hymn Books	6	0	0			
Newspapers and Periodicals	20	4	10			
Removals, charged to Unions	0	17	6			
Escapes	3	17	5			
Postage and Receipt Stamps	29	2	0			
Cartage and Carriage of Parcels	11	7	1			
Repairing Baskets	2	2	9			
Sweeping Chimneys	6	11	0			
Thermometers, and Cleaning Clocks	1	19	6			
Marking Ink	3	12	0			
Sundry Payments	2	8	0			
				213	15	5
Total paid in respect of Maintenance .. .. .	..	..	..	12106	9	4
„ „ of Garden .. .. .	..	..	..	278	4	4
„ „ of Repairs .. .. .	..	..	..	830	7	5
Balance in Treasurer's hands	2419	5	9			
„ Steward's hands	23	2	6½			
				2442	8	3½
Examined and found correct, 15th February, 1871. DECOURCY PEELE, Clerk to the Visitors and Auditor.				£15657	9	4½

GARDEN

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Seeds and Plants	49	15	4			
Store Pigs	18	15	0			
Pig Meal	44	12	3			
Straw	48	17	9			
Rates and Tithes	26	6	10			
Tools and Implements	18	7	9			
Use of Thrashing Machine	1	2	6			
Garden Pots	5	0	2			
Poultry	1	4	3			
Castrating Pigs	0	9	0			
Manure	11	8	0			
Rent of Potatoe Land	50	0	0			
Cartage of Potatoes	2	5	6			
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				278	4	4
Balance to profit	134	11	6
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				412	15	10
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ACCOUNT.

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
By Sale of Rags	6	2	6			
„ „ Produce	6	13	1½			
Rates Overdrawn	4	8	0			
				17	3	7½
ARTICLES CONSUMED.						
Pork and Bacon, 5929 lbs. at -/6½ to -/7	164	11	7			
Potatoes, 402½ bus. at 3/- to 5/-.	69	14	3			
Carrots, 136 cwt. at 3/- ..	20	8	0			
Turnips & Parsnips 47¾ cwt. at 3/- to 1/- ..	4	13	3			
Cabbages, 305½ cwt. at 4/- ..	61	2	0			
Onions, 26 cwt.	10	4	0			
Other Vegetables	52	11	10½			
Poultry	5	3	2			
Eggs	7	4	1			
				395	12	2½
				412	15	10

REPAIRS

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Charge for Rent—						
Shrewsbury Borough, 1 year.. ..	193	17	4			
Oswestry ditto 1 year.. ..	47	7	2			
Bridgnorth ditto 1 year.. ..	54	18	4			
Ludlow ditto 1 year.. ..	46	3	10			
West London Union, extra charge ..	2	17	6			
Penkridge ditto ditto ..	12	7	2			
Seisdon ditto ditto ..	1	0	0			
City of London ditto ditto ..	9	9	8			
				368	1	0
Sale of Old Boilers .. ..	..	..	..	65	0	0
Proportions charged—						
County of Salop	41	0	8 $\frac{1}{2}$			
County of Montgomery	16	8	11			
Borough of Wenlock	4	5	2			
				61	14	9 $\frac{1}{2}$
Balance charged in the following proportions—						
County of Salop	264	1	8			
County of Montgomery	105	16	9			
Borough of Wenlock	27	8	0			
				397	6	5
				892	2	2 $\frac{1}{2}$

ACCOUNT.

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
By Balance of last Account .. ..	..	..	..	61	14	9 $\frac{1}{2}$
Paid for Timber	91	19	10			
„ Bricks, Drain Pipes, Lime, Sand } and Cement	27	8	11			
„ Plumber's Work	109	1	4			
„ Plumber's Wages	19	4	5			
„ New Cast-iron Cistern in Laundry, } and Fitting	15	3	0			
„ Ironmonger, Founder, and Smith..	94	17	10			
„ Paint and Materials for Glazing ..	92	19	8			
„ Painter's Wages	24	8	0			
„ Paper for Walls	5	16	2			
„ Gravel	5	5	10			
„ Stone for Roads	11	17	7			
„ Cartage	6	11	0			
„ Insurance	22	17	6			
„ Two Fire Extinguishers	11	8	6			
„ Repairing Drains	56	1	10			
„ Repairing Gas Works, and Report } thereon	11	7	10			
„ Stone Mason	25	17	3			
„ Repairing Chimneys and Roofs ..	3	3	1			
„ Balance on Contract for Boilers ..	65	12	0			
„ „ „ for Chimney..	17	0	0			
„ Advertisements	5	12	6			
„ Salaries—Surveyor and Treasurer.	40	0	0			
„ Superannuation—late Matron ..	66	13	4			
				830	7	5
				892	2	2 $\frac{1}{2}$

SUMMARY OF THE

MAINTENANCE.		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Balance in hand 1st January, 1870	..	3205	16	11½			
Cash received by Treasurer	.. ..	12248	1	9			
„ „ Steward	.. ..	27	7	7½			
					15481	6	4
REPAIRS.		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Ludlow Borough Treasurer—Overpaid	..	11	11	0			
Received for Rent .. ..	.. ..	359	7	6			
„ from County & Borough Treasurers		439	18	5			
„ for Sale of Old Boilers .. ..	.. ..	65	0	0			
Arrears—Montgomery County	.. ..	16	8	11			
Balance—Salop County .. ..	.. ..	0	0	0½			
Balance due 31st December, 1870	..	397	6	5			
					1289	12	3½
BUILDING.		£.	s.	d.			
Received from County & Borough Treasurers		362	4	7			
Arrears—Montgomery County .. ..	.. ..	106	11	0			
Balance due 31st December, 1870	..	127	11	6			
					596	7	1

FOREGOING ACCOUNTS.

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Arrears—West London Union	6	6	6			
Paid during the year	12106	9	4			
„ „ „ for Garden	278	4	4			
Balance December 31st, 1870	3090	6	2			
				15481	6	4
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Balance due 1st January, 1870	61	14	9½			
„ due from Montgomery County ..	394	12	7			
Arrears—West London Union	2	17	6			
Paid during the Year	830	7	5			
				1289	12	3½
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Balance due January 1st, 1870	527	11	6			
Arrears—Montgomery County	68	15	7			
				596	7	1

SALOP

An Account of the Receipts for the County of Salop, in respect of therein as shewn in the Building and Repairs Accounts,

1870.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Mar. 21st. From County Treasurer for—						
Building.. 	265	17	4			
,, From County Treasurer for—						
Repairs	41	0	8			
Balance 	0	0	0½			
				306	18	0½

MONTGOMERY

An Account of the Receipts for the County of Montgomery, in respect of therein as shewn in the Building and Repairs Accounts,

1870.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Jan. 5th. From County Treasurer for—						
Building	68	15	7			
,, From County Treasurer for—						
Repairs	394	12	7			
Balance on Building Account	106	11	0			
,, Repairs ,,	16	8	11			
				586	8	1

WENLOCK

An Account of the Receipts for the Borough of Wenlock, in respect of therein as shewn in the Building and Repairs Accounts,

1870.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
April 12th. From Borough Treasurer for—						
Building 	27	11	8			
,, From Borough Treasurer for—						
Repairs	4	5	2			
				31	16	10

1870.		£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
April 18th. By charge for Building	..	265	17	4				
,, ,, Repairs	..	41	0	8½				
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						306	18	0½
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COUNTY.

1870.		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Jan. 1st.	By Balance for Building	..	68	15	7		
„	„ „ Repairs	..	394	12	7		
April 18th.	By Charge for Building	..	106	11	0		
„	„ „ Repairs	..	16	8	11		
			<hr/>			586	8 1

BOROUGH.

	£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
1870.							
April 18th. By Charge for Building ..	27	11	8				
" " " Repairs ..	4	5	2				
					31	16	10

Shrewsbury, Oswestry, Bridgnorth, and Ludlow and City of

An Account of the Receipts for the Boroughs and Unions, in respect of
shewn in the Repairs Account for

1870.		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Feb. 14th.	From Shrewsbury Borough Treasurer	96	18	8			
Aug. 12th.	From Shrewsbury Borough Treasurer	96	18	8			
					193	17	4
April 5th.	From Oswestry Borough Treasurer	23	13	7			
Aug. 27th.	From Oswestry Borough Treasurer	23	13	7			
					47	7	2
Feb. 10th.	From Bridgnorth Borough Treasurer	27	9	2			
Aug. 13th.	From Bridgnorth Borough Treasurer	27	9	2			
					54	18	4
Jan. 1st.	Balance	11	11	0			
„	From Ludlow Borough Treasurer	11	10	11			
Aug. 1st.	From Ludlow Borough Treasurer	23	1	11			
					46	3	10
Mar. 11th.	From West London Union Treasurer	2	17	6			
	Transferred to City of London Union ..	2	17	6			
					5	15	0
	From Penkridge Union Treasurer	12	7	2			
					12	7	2
	From Seisdon Union Treasurer	1	0	0			
					1	0	0
	From City of London Union Treasurer	12	7	2			
					12	7	2

Boroughs, and West London, Penkridge, Seisdon, London Unions.

Rent as shewn in the General Account, and of charges therein as the Year ending 31st December, 1870.

1870.		£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Jan. 1st.	By Shrewsbury Borough, Half-year's Rent ..	96	18	8			
July 1st.	By Shrewsbury Borough, Half-year's Rent ..	96	18	8			
					193	17	4
Jan. 1st.	By Oswestry Borough, Half-year's Rent ..	23	13	7			
July 1st.	By Oswestry Borough, Half-year's Rent ..	23	13	7			
					47	7	2
Jan. 1st.	By Bridgnorth Borough, Half-year's Rent ..	27	9	2			
July 1st.	By Bridgnorth Borough, Half-year's Rent ..	27	9	2			
					54	18	4
Jan. 1st.	By Ludlow Borough, Half-year's Rent ..	23	1	11			
July 1st.	By Ludlow Borough, Half-year's Rent ..	23	1	11			
					46	3	10
Jan. 1st.	By Balance	2	17	6			
	By West London Union, extra charge	2	17	6			
					5	15	0
	By Penkridge Union, extra charge	12	7	2			
					12	7	2
	By Seisdon Union, extra charge	1	0	0			
					1	0	0
	By West London Union, transferred	2	17	6			
	By City of London Union, extra charge	9	9	8			
					12	7	2

BALANCE due to the Asylum on the GENERAL ACCOUNT, as shewn in Ledger, Folio 279, £3090. 6s. 2d.

This Amount, provided all Monies were paid to the Treasurer, would be the Balance in his hands, viz:—

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Cash in the hands of the Treasurer, as per General Ledger Account, Folio 199. }	...	...	...	2419	5	9
Cash in the hands of the Steward, as per General Ledger Account, Folio 115.. }	...	...	...	23	2	6½
Advanced by Treasurer on Account of Repairs, as per General Ledger Account, Folio 142 ... }	397	6	5	*524	17	11
Advanced by Treasurer on Account of Building, as per Building Ledger Account, Folio 51 ... }	127	11	6			
Balance due—Salop County ... }	...	...	...	0	0	0½
Arrears—Montgomery County—Building } ditto ditto—Repairs }	106	11	0	122	19	11
	16	8	11			
				3090	6	2

* This £524. 17s. 11d. has to be repaid to the Treasurer of the Asylum, it having been advanced out of Maintenance Account.

Average weekly cost per head for Maintenance.

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Salaries and Wages ...	0	1	6 ⁶ / ₈			
Provisions ...	0	4	11 ⁶ / ₈			
Wine, Spirits, and Porter ...	0	0	0 ⁶ / ₈			
Necessaries ...	0	1	0 ¹ / ₈			
Surgery and Dispensary ...	0	0	1 ⁵ / ₈			
Clothing ...	0	0	10 ¹ / ₈			
Furniture and Bedding ...	0	0	4 ⁶ / ₈			
Miscellaneous ...	0	0	2			
Garden and Farm ...	0	0	2 ⁴ / ₈			
				0	9	4 ³ / ₈
Deduct Articles Sold ...	..	..	..	0	0	0 ² / ₈
Actual Weekly cost for Maintenance ...	..	..	..	0	9	4 ¹ / ₈

The Amount charged for Repairs during the past year is £830. 7s. 5d., }
giving an additional weekly cost per patient of 7½d. }

Deducting therefrom the Amount of £359. 7s. 6d., received from the Boroughs }
and Out-County Unions for Rent during the past year, would make the }
average deduction per head of 3¼d. }

Leaving the actual additional weekly cost for Repairs 0 0 4¼

The Amount charged to Building during the year 1870, is £127. 11s. 6d., raising the Capital Account to £69188. 0s. 10d.

	Male.	Female.	Total.
Average Number of Patients	234.47	270.42	504.89
„ „ Officers and Attendants ...	26.8	27.97	54.77

Consumed by Patients and Attendants during the year 1870 :—

	Patients.	Officers and Attendants.
Beef lbs.	49528 $\frac{1}{2}$	8147 $\frac{1}{4}$
Mutton „	12971 $\frac{3}{4}$	7621 $\frac{1}{2}$
Other Meat value	.....	6s. 5d.
Suet lbs.	119	.....
Bacon „	4013	1331
Lard „	111	36 $\frac{1}{2}$
Cheese „	9507.4	2096 $\frac{3}{4}$
Butter, Salt „	11011.5	1729.5
„ Fresh ... .. „	.....	153
Milk, New qts.	47	1110
„ Skimmed „	44246	5475
Bread lbs.	214818	23803
Flour bus.	3217	13
Oatmeal lbs.	4665	.....
Cocoa „	6342	.....
Tea „	1654.6	368.11
Coffee „	18.8	406.3
Sugar, Loaf „	156	221
„ Moist „	11088.12	1824.6
Rice „	2282	52
Pease „	5780	.....
Mustard „	259 $\frac{3}{4}$	81
Pepper „	141 $\frac{1}{4}$	45 $\frac{3}{4}$
Other Spices value	£34 3s. 7d.	£3 9s. 3d.
Sago lbs.	49	14
Vinegar gals.	101	10 $\frac{1}{4}$
Arrowroot lbs.	1876	10
Tobacco „	437	.....
Snuff „	51	.....
Salt cwt.	8064	896
Potatoes bus.	1116 $\frac{1}{2}$	176
Carrots cwt.	123 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$
Turnips „	43 $\frac{1}{4}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Cabbage „	294	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
Onions lbs.	1304	361
Other Vegetables value	£38 16s. 4d.	£13 15s. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.
Poultry „	£2 14s. 9d.	£6 0s. 5d.
Fish and Oranges „	£16 4s. 10d.	£3 18s. 11d.
Eggs „	£63 6s. 1d.	£9 11s. 0d.
Beer gals.	19315.1	5377.9
Wine pts.	440	.....
Brandy „	31 $\frac{3}{4}$	.....
Gin „	275	.....
Whiskey „	42	.....
Porter kilds.	40	.....

Abstract of Returns made by Clerks of Unions, of the number of Lunatics,
Idiots, and Persons of Unsound Mind, chargeable on the 1st January,
1871.

16th & 17th Vic. cap. 97, sec. 64.

UNIONS.	In County Asylum.		In other Asylums.		In Work- houses.		With Friends.		TOTALS.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	TOTAL.
Atcham ...	16	17	...	...	...	8	...	...	16	25	41
Bridgnorth ...	8	16	1	...	1	7	2	2	12	25	37
Church Stretton ...	6	6	...	...	4	4	...	3	10	13	23
Cleobury Mortimer ...	7	7	...	...	3	6	7	5	17	18	35
Clun ...	5	17	...	...	1	1	5	4	11	22	33
Ellesmere ...	9	7	...	...	2	9	...	...	11	16	27
Forden ...	13	12	...	...	11	5	1	...	25	17	42
Knighton ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
Llanfyllin ...	13	15	...	1	2	...	8	19	23	35	58
Ludlow ...	14	12	...	...	3	5	1	3	18	20	38
Machynlleth ...	2	3	...	...	1	5	4	4	7	12	19
Madeley ...	26	28	...	...	2	9	6	14	34	51	85
Market Drayton ...	8	7	...	...	3	5	2	1	13	13	26
Montgomery County ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
Newport ...	9	9	...	...	...	2	2	7	11	18	29
Newtown & Llanidloes..	19	15	...	...	2	9	10	10	31	34	65
Oswestry ...	12	17	...	...	...	8	...	1	12	26	38
Salop County ...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	5
Shifnal ...	4	7	...	...	...	1	5	4	9	12	21
Shrewsbury ...	23	34	1	...	1	9	1	...	26	43	69
Shrewsbury Borough ...	1	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Tenbury ...	...	1	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Wellington ...	19	24	...	...	2	1	11	12	32	37	69
Wem ...	5	10	...	...	1	11	3	2	9	23	32
Whitchurch ...	7	8	...	...	7	8	...	...	14	16	30
TOTAL ..	232	275	2	1	46	113	68	91	348	480	828
Total Insane 1st Jan 1870	234	275	1	...	43	94	79	105	357	474	831
Increase ...	...	...	1	1	3	19	...	..	4	20	24
Decrease ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	11	14	13	14	27